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[FIRST GUN]

ODA NOBUNAGA

1ST JULY 1582
「THE ENEMY IS AT HONNOUJI」
BRING ME
NOBUNAGA'S HEAD!

YOU'VE GONE AND DONE IT NOW, MITSUHIDE...
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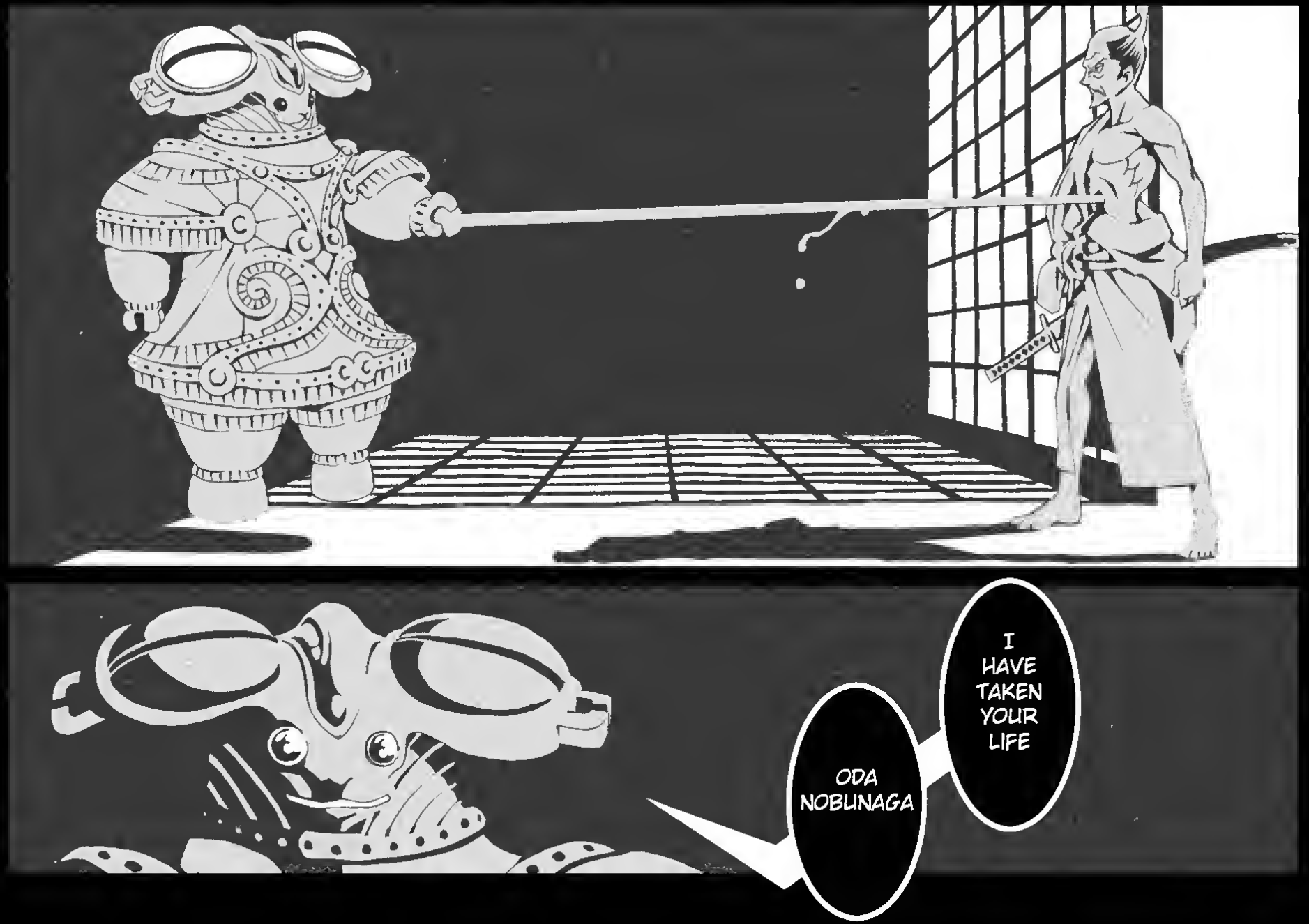
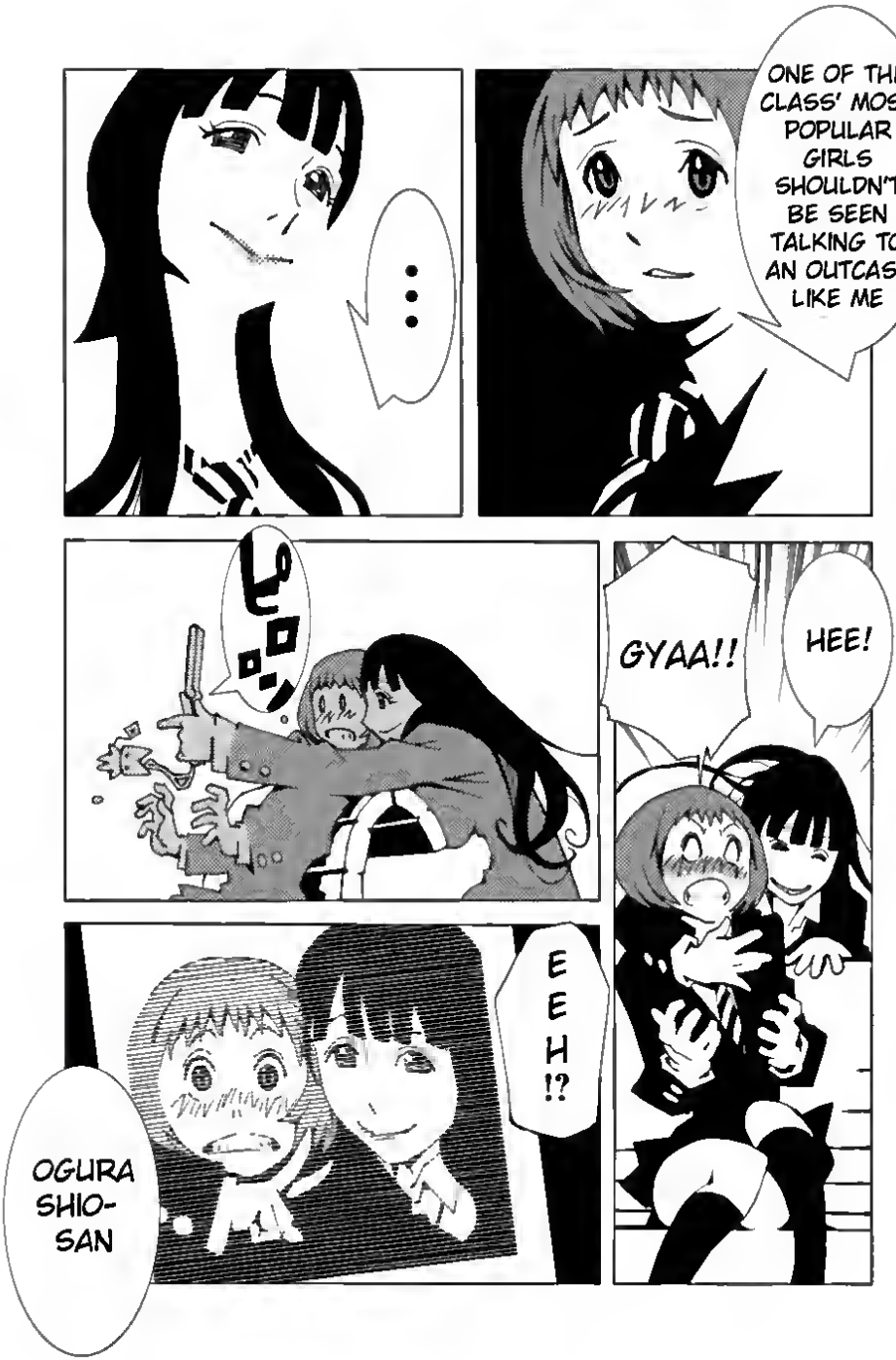

I HAVE TAKEN YOUR LIFE
ODA NOBUNAGA

OGURA-SAN
UNGH?
WHAT WAS THAT DREAM...
MM?
UWAA !!
AAA
ASAO-SAN!!
NOW'S NOT THE TIME TO BE SLEEPING

WE CAME ALL THE WAY TO TAIWAN
YOU SHOULD SEE THE SIGHTS

IT'S MY FIRST TIME IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY, SO I'M REALLY EXCITED
OR, DO YOU NOT ENJOY THESE KIND OF THINGS?
AH, THAT'S NOT IT...
I'M NOT REALLY COMFORT-ABLE IN A GROUP
THAT KIND OF THING ...
WAIT A MINUTE...
LET'S GO--!
WE'RE GOING IN THAT BIG OLD DUDE OVER THERE!
WELL THEN---
KAORU--!!
IT'S FINE, IT'S FINE!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ONE OF THE CLASS' MOST POPULAR GIRLS SHOULDN'T BE SEEN TALKING TO AN OUTCAST LIKE ME
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GYAA!!
HEE!
EEH!?
OGURA SHIO-SAN

SO?
YOU SHOULDN'T GET SO WORKED UP ABOUT IT
WE'LL CALL THIS GOOD FOR TODAY THEN
I'LL SEND THE PICTURE TO YOU WHEN WE GET BACK TO JAPN. MAKE SURE TO TELL ME YOUR E-MAIL LATER
HMM
WELL
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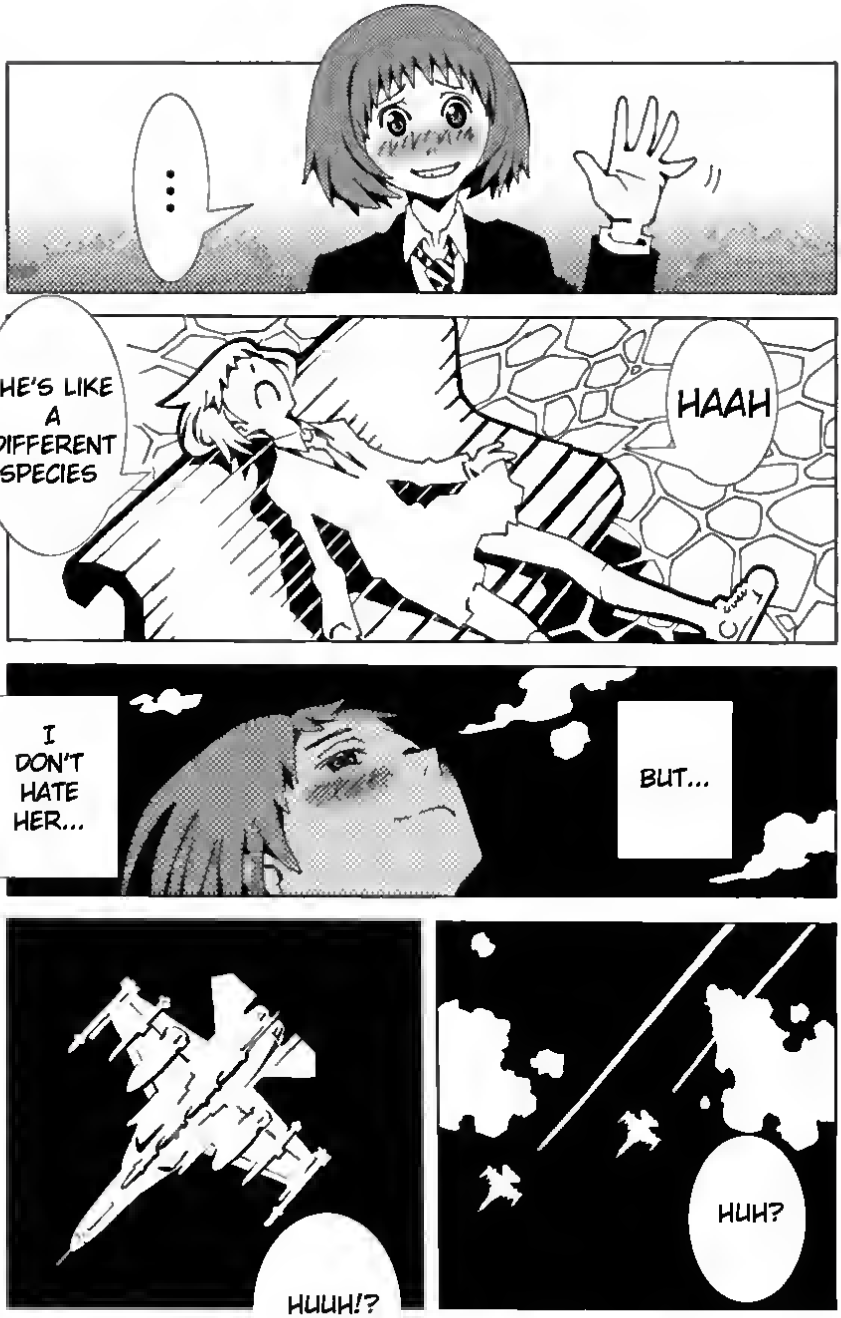
HOW ABOUT WE GO INSIDE THAT BIG OLD GUY TOGETHER?
AH
UM...
I'LL STAY HERE FOR NOW...
BUT
THANK YOU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SHE'S LIKE A DIFFERENT SPECIES
HAAH
I DON'T HATE HER...
BUT...
HUUH!?
HUH?

EEH...
AN F-CK-1!!
IT'S THE TAIWANESE AIR-FORCE!!
UWA, THIS IS AWESOME!!
EH?
IT... FIRED?

DUE TO THE CURRENT STATE OF EMERGENCY, PLEASE EVACUATE THE AREA
WHAT!?
WHAT!?
ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PLEASE LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY

AN M60A3...

NO, IT'S A
CM-11

WHAT THE HELL IS THAT!?
WHOA!!
I SAW IT THIS CLOSE..

A 105MM CANNON?
EEH!?

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A
WE GO INSIDE THAT BIG OLD GUY TOGETHER?
SO? HOW ABOUT
ASAO-SAN!!

THE EVOLUTIONARY INVASION OBJECT IS ENTERING THE CITY LIMITS
THE TAIWANESE LAND ARMY IS CURENTLY MASSING AT THE SHORE, THE AIRFORCE IS ALREADY ENGAGING
CONTACT THE TAWAINESE COMMANDER, GET THEM TO HALT THEIR ASSAULT IMMEDIATELY

WEAPONS MADE FOR KILLING HUMANS ARE NO USE AGAINST THAT
IT WILL JUST CAUSE MORE DAMAGE
SO... THEY'VE FINALLY EVOLVED ENOUGH TO COME ON LAND
THERE'S NO CHOICE BUT TO MAKE A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT
YES
ABOUT THEM, AND ABOUT US
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THE E-GENE HOLDERS?
THE SECOND COMPANY IS SORTIEING
JACK THE RIPPER IS EN-ROUTE NOW, HE SHOULD ENGAGE SHORTLY
ALONE? WHAT ABOUT BACKUP?
GHANDI AND NEWTON ARE STILL PREPARING TO DESCEND
IT'S ALWAYS THE SAME WITH HIM...

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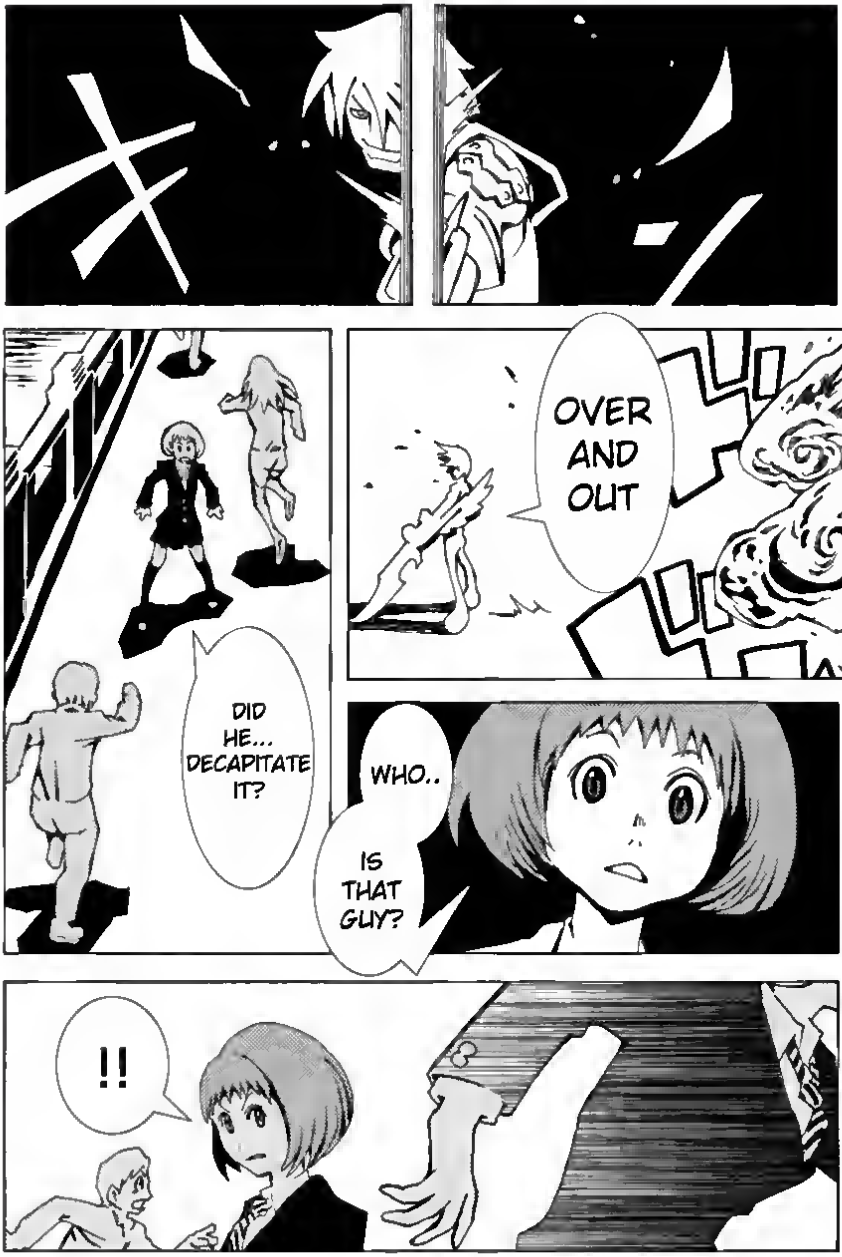
IT'S A BIG GUY THIS TIME HUH?
WELL, THAT...

JUST MAKES IT EASIER TO HIT

GUESS YOU'RE STILL NOT USED TO EARTH'S GRAVITY, EH, LI'L FISHIE
JACK THE RIPPER!!
I'LL BE FINE ON MY OWN
THE PARK HAS PLENTY OF SPACE SO I'LL TAKE CARE OF IT HERE
AAH, GHANDI LOOKS LIKE I WON'T NEED YOUR HELP AFTER ALL. HE'S BIG BUT REALLY SLOW
MMMM
WAIT ON THE FIGHTING, IT LOOKS LIKE THERE ARE STILL A FAIR FEW PEOPLE YET TO FLEE


OVER AND OUT
DID HE... DECAPITATE IT?
WHO.. IS THAT GUY?
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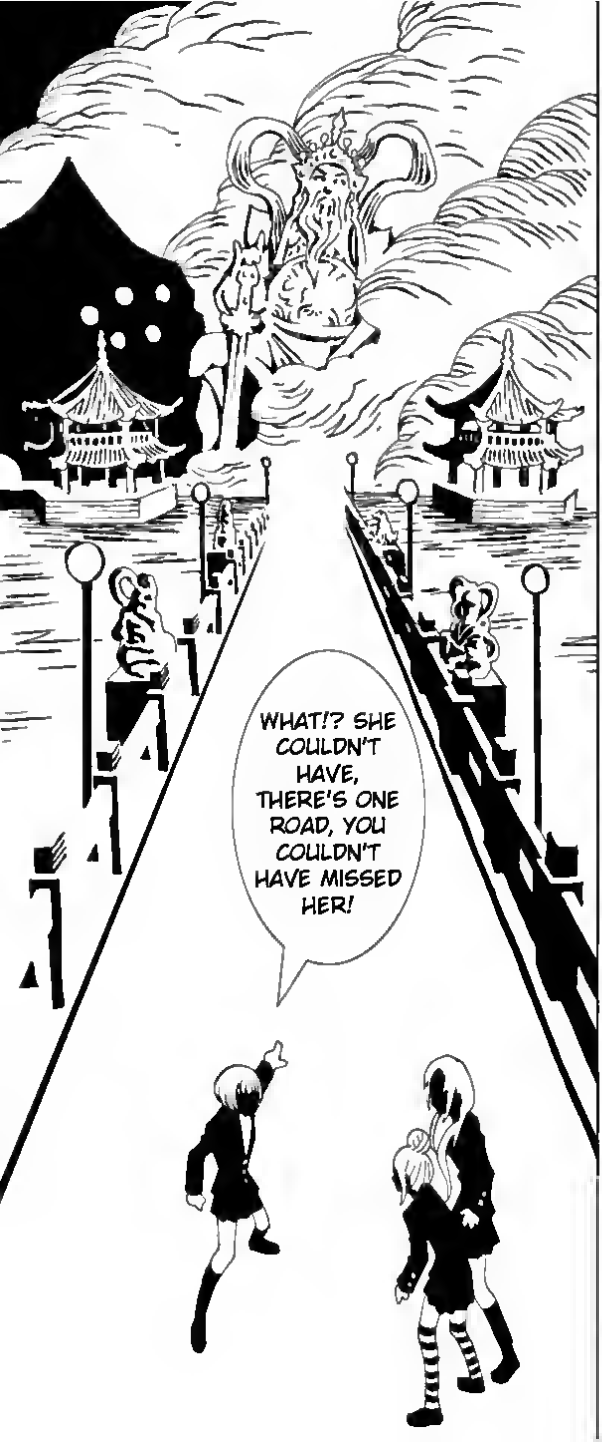
WHAT!? SHE COULDN'T HAVE, THERE'S ONE ROAD, YOU COULDN'T HAVE MISSED HER!

WAIT A SECOND, YOU TWO!!

WEREN'T YOU WITH ASAO-SAN, WHERE IS SHE?

EH? I-I-I DON'T KNOW, WE HEARD GUN SHOTS...
SHE PROBABLY RAN AHEAD...

AH!
HOLD ON!?
THEN, SHE'S STILL...

UP HERE YA BIG FREAK
BE SEEING YA

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AH-GHANDI
ACTUALLY, YOU SHOULD GET OVER HERE FAST
!!
WHAT HAP-PENED?
THIS BIG GUY
WAS JUST

A LANDING SHIP
UUH, HOW MANY TIMES DO I HAVE TO SWING?
!!
LET'S SEE, IF I KILL FIVE PER SWING

ASAO-SAN!!
Uu...
YOU'RE ALIVE!!
KYAA!

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IT'S NO GOOD ...
I LOST TOO MUCH BLOOD...
I CAN'T... KEEP MY FORM

JACK THE RIPPER'S E-GENE SIGNAL HAS VANISHED
BALL-13 HAS FALLEN SILENT
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THIS BALL...
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WHERE...

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!!
ASAO-SAN!!

DON'T GO
A NORMAL HUMAN GOES ONLY TO THEIR DEATH
BUT
TELL ME YOUR E-MAIL LATER

I STILL
HAVEN'T TOLD HER
!!
!!
THERE'S A SIGNAL FROM BALL-13
IT'S REACTIVATED!
IS IT JACK THE RIPPER?

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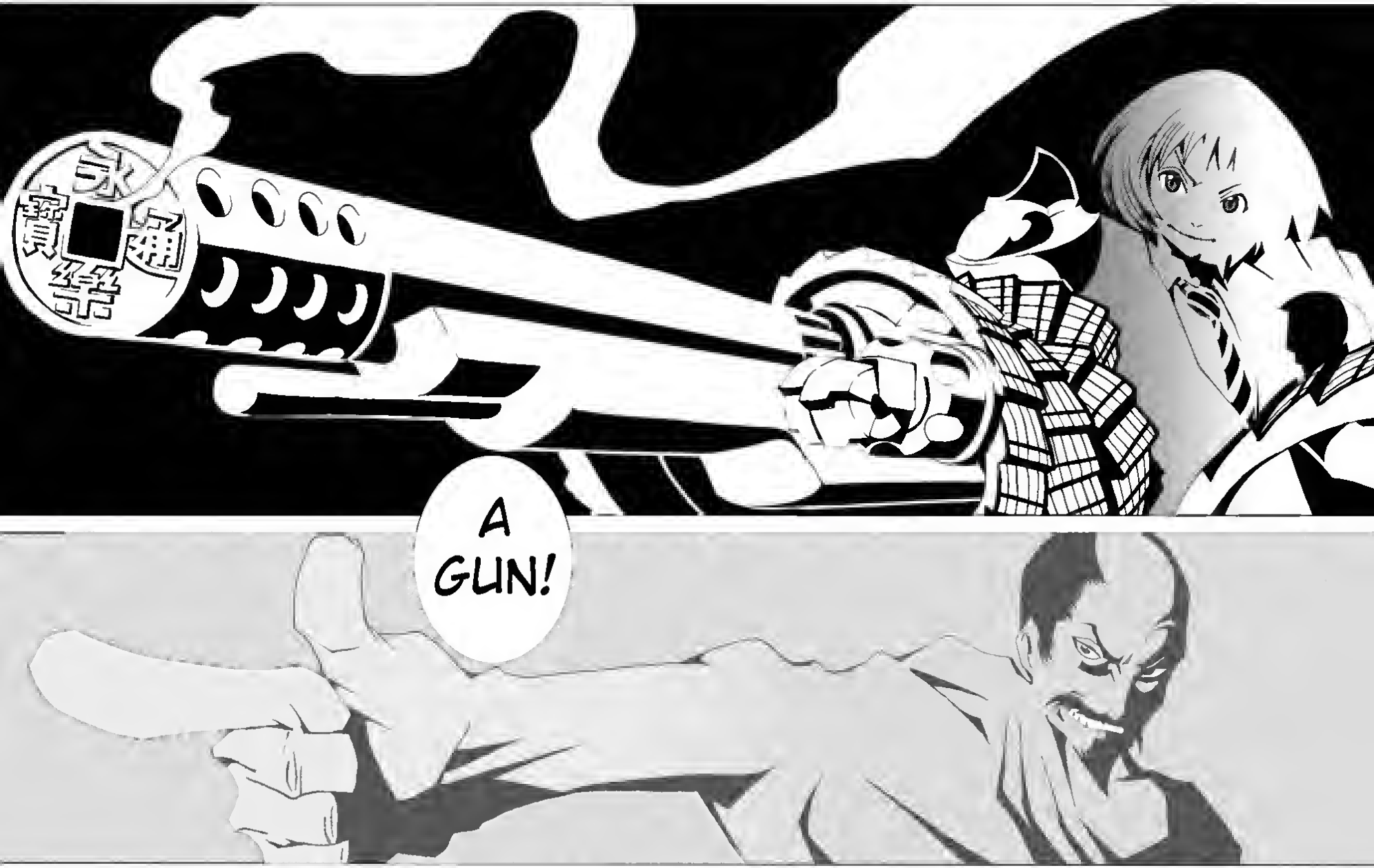
YEAR OF ORIGIN DETERMINED IT'S 1582
AN UNREGISTERED E-GENE SIGNAL
Unknown
NO, IT'S
DOWN THERE AT THAT
SO THERE WAS AN UNKNOWN HOLDER?
SHE'S ALSO!?
IM-POSSIBLE
I
RE-MEM-BER

THIS SPHERE WILL RESPOND TO THEM AND TAKE THE FORM OF THE WEAPON THEY DESIRE
ONLY THEY WILL BE ABLE TO PROTECT THIS PLANET FROM THE INVASION OBJECTS
MANY YEARS FROM NOW, WHEN THEY COME TO THIS PLANET, YOUR LEGACY WILL AWAKEN
I MUST FIRST CREATE WARRIORS FROM THE INFLUENTIAL FIGURES FROM THIS PLANET
I'VE TAKEN YOUR TWO-FOLD SPIRAL OF LIFE
I WILL NOW CREATE THE WARRIOR WHO WILL CARRY YOUR LEGACY IN A FUTURE GENERATION

A UNIQUE ABILITY
HMPH, IT'S ALREADY DECIDED
I WONDER WHAT WEAPON YOUR DESCENDANT WILL WISH FOR


A GUN!

SO, IT'S YOU
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ODA NOBU-NAGA

TRILOBITE SCANS

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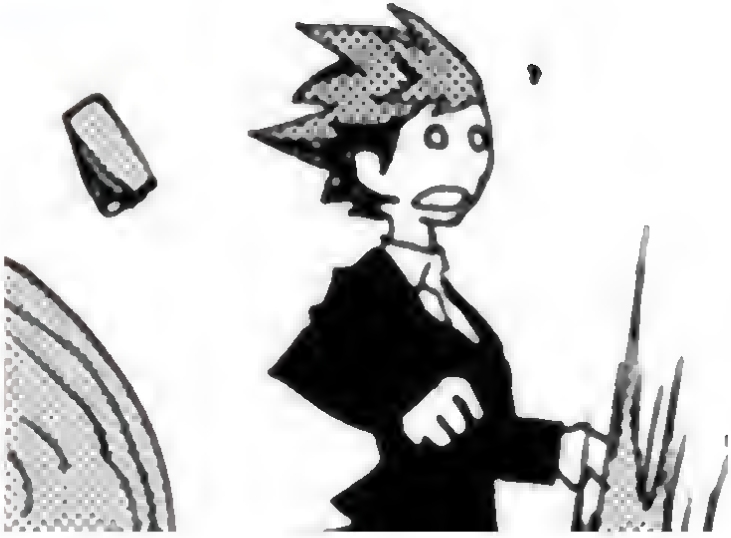

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